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## The Samuel W. Johnston Family.

Captain Samuel W. Johnston came from Pennsylvania, down the Ohio river, and settled, for a time, at Point Pleasant, Mason County, about , after which he came to Cabell County, and married Rebecca Martin, in 1833. She was said to be a close relative of Andrew Martin, of Barboursville. He was a millwright, and worked first, at Cincinnati, and then, for Sampson Sanders, at Dusenberry Dam, now known as Martha, on the Guyandotte river, two miles from Barboursville.

There were four children born to Samuel W. and Rebecca Martin Johnston:

1-2 Mary E. Johnston

m. James R. Gallaher, son of James and Sarah Gallaher They had four children:

1-3 Ella Gallaher

m. Henry H. Holswade known as "Harry" Holswade.

They had one son:

1-4 James Frederick Holswade  
m. Daisy Slatts, whose parents  
lived near Spencer, Roane Co.,  
West Virginia. They had four  
children:

1-5 James F. Holswade

2-3 Willie Gallaher

m. James K. Quey.

They had children:

1-4 Mary Prince Quey  
m. Samuel Cook.

They live at, or near  
Harrodsburg, Kentucky.

2-4 James Quey Jr.

m. Lena Warnock of  
Greenup, Kentucky.

3-4 Charles Quey  
d. in infancy.

4-4. Leslie Ouby

m.1 Alva Griffith. They  
had two children:

1-5- Dorothy Griffith →

2-5- Paul Griffith →

m.2

m.3

Donahoe, from  
Barboursville. They had  
a son, Paul Donahoe,

2-2 Napoleon B. Johnston

Mr. Sarah Everett Dundas,  
daur. of John and Ann Dun-  
das. They had children:  
1-3 Ella Johnston

2-3 Frank E. Johnston

3-3 Mary Rebecca Johnston  
Mr. Silas Eugene Sa

4-3

Son of Samuel W. & Rebecca Johnson  
his 1st wife -  
Napoleon B. Johnson b. Sept. 4, 1841  
d. May 9, 1909  
m. Sarah Everett Hudas  
b. May 4, 1845 d. Oct 22, 1922  
daug. of John & Ann  
(Morrill) Hudas

1-1 Frank Eugene Johnson  
b. Jan 2, 1865  
Never married,  
d. Oct. 11, 1934, at 69-9-9

2-1 Harry W. Johnson,  
b. Nov. 13, 1868.  
d. Feb. 27, 1942  
~~Lives 466 Wash. Ave~~  
m. (Kathleen Kelly?) both  
of Sturben Co., Ind

3-1 James Owen Johnson  
b. May 3, 1871  
m. Juliet ("Etta") b. 1893  
Strachan  
of Huntington  
Feb. 28, 1901  
She is dead  
a dau. Alice  
Everett Johnson  
d. at 7 mos in 1902  
He Lives 466 - Wash Ave

4-2 Anna May Johnston b. May 18, 1871  
d. June 20, 1876.

5-2 Mary Rebecca b. Aug. 23, 1871  
m. Silas E. Saunders,  
No children. He is  
dead. He served  
26 years in the  
regular army. d.  
April 23, 1939.

She lives 456, Wash-  
ington Avenue, Huntington.  
6-2 Thos. Sidney Johnson  
b. March 5, 1882,  
Lives 456 Wash. Ave.  
Painter. Maintenance  
of way man on  
C. & O. R. R.  
Never married

7-2 Ella M. Johnston,  
b. Jan. 19, 1888

Thos. J. Rees is a  
coal operator at Toga, W. Va. of Va.  
Lives at Richwood  
Rees of Tenn. A dau. Reba Louise  
Falwell m. Thos. J. Rees  
One dau. Carol



from Dundas family name found  
in 1715.  
"Agnes Hepburn was born Oct. 19th  
1770 at a 1/2 one o'clock midday  
in Craigston parish of Gavan  
2 miles from Glasgow. her book,  
and died the 24th of May 1820  
at five o'clock in the after-  
noon, in the town of Alexan-  
dria district of Columbia.

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Wednesday the 21st of June  
(born out)  
178- ? at Seven o'clock James  
Hepburn Dundas was born  
in the Town of Alexandria,  
and State of Virginia.

Thursday morning at  
nine o'clock being the 14th  
February 1788, Nancy Moore  
Dundas was born in the  
Town of Alexandria.

Monday morning 10 o'clock  
The 6th July 1789 ————— (born out)  
Dundas was born in the  
Town of Alexandria.

Sophia Matilda Lundas born in  
Alexandria at four O'clock  
in the morning of the 24th  
February 1791.

Albert Moore Johnston

b. Aug. 27, 1852

d. May, 1932

Buried at Spring Hill.

m. Mary Jane Kennett,

Jan. 28, 1875.

Law. of Peter and  
Elizabeth Kennett,  
of Lumberport, Harri-  
son? Co., W. Va.

Peter & Elizabeth  
Kennett settled in  
Huntington beyond  
~~Four~~ 7th Ave., out  
3rd St., in a  
log house, now  
occupied by a  
Hager family

Children:

Charles Kennett Johnston

b. Nov. 27, 1875.

m. Francis Gouell,

Two children:

Kenneth Gouell

Mary Elizabeth

m. Oscar Billman

Five 28. Seventh Ave

Maudie J. Johnston

b. April 13, 1888

Albert Moore Johnston Jr.

b. Oct 1, 1881.

d. July 22, 1944, Single

Mabel Clare Johnston

b.

m. Nathan K. Smith,

live 32 W. 7th Ave

Five children:

1 Paul Johnston Smith

m. Hazel Martin

3 children.

Alexandra, Va.

2 Mary Jane Smith

m. John Albert

Casely, Live

32 W. 7th

No children.

3 Albert Moore Smith

Single.

4 Robert Lee Smith

m. Lucile Scott

Charleston

One son

5. Charles Norman Smith

m. Norma Duncan

Live in Covington Ky

William Paul Johnston

b.

d. Dec. 1908,  
at about 16 yrs.

Anna Marie Johnston

b. Dec. 22, 1895

Single. Lives

26 W. 7th Ave.

Benjamin Johnston son of  
Capt. Samuel W. Johnston

b. Oct 15, 1854

d. March 20, 1932

m. Pattie Taylor, <sup>sister</sup> ~~daughter~~  
of Judge Thos. Wallace  
Taylor and daughter  
of Charles Henry Kennon  
Taylor and Martha  
(Field) Taylor of  
Mecklenburg Co., Va.  
Three children

1. Kennon Taylor Johnston

b. 1888

d. March 4, 1907 at  
19 of Typhoid fever

2. Massilon Woodrow Johnston

b.

Now 55, lives in  
Florida.

<sup>Mrs</sup> m. Edelia Arce of  
Costa Rica.

<sup>One son of hers</sup>  
~~One daughter~~

Edwin Arce  
Chicago Ill

m. 1. Minnie Saunders  
of Ashland, Va

One dau., his only  
child -

Maxine Johnston

m. Kingston Knapp  
of about Clarksburg

He is in a  
government hospital  
in or near Phila-  
delphia. She  
lives with Mrs  
Pattie Johnston  
at 227 - W. 7th  
Ave.

3 Benjamin Donaldson Johnston

b. Dec. 7,

51 or

52 yrs. of age

<sup>Wife</sup>  
m. Vivian Robison

A daughter of  
Fred Taylor of  
Washington City,  
now deceased.

Lives on Adams  
Ave.

By Mrs Ida Stewart  
" Gaylord " 620-6th

Capt Samuel W. Johnson  
d. 12-16-1883, at 72 Ph 25665.  
came down to in Pa. 1812, near Johnstown  
Ohio to Pt Pleasant Philadelphia. He was a  
first.

millwright. First called  
m. Rebecca Martin to Cincinnati, then Sampson  
sider? to Andy Martin Sanders called him for  
his mill where he met  
Eliza Kilgore whom he  
raised. Samuel's house  
is still standing at  
S.E. Cor. of 3rd St. &  
7th Ave. I have a  
picture of it, and the  
family. They came here  
before the Civil War.

m. 1 Rebecca Martin 1833

Children:

12 Mary m. James R. Gallaher

13 Ella m. ~~Harold~~ <sup>James</sup> Henry

H. Holswade (Harry)

15 James Fredrick

m. Daisy Statts,  
of about Spence,  
W. Va. 4-18

Children -  
James S. living  
Wm. John Henry C. H.

4 children  
(Harry)

1 Holswades

Work at Standard Pk. Co



2<sup>4</sup> ~~3~~ <sup>4</sup> Mollie Gallaher

m. James K. Oney.

1<sup>4</sup> Mary Prince Oney

m. Samuel Cook,

343 N. Main live at or  
near Harrods-  
burg, Ky.  
(write for dates)

2<sup>5</sup> James Oney Jr.

m. 1. Rena Warnock  
of Greensburg, Ky

m. 2.

live at Charles  
town (W. Va.)

3<sup>4</sup> Charles - d. in  
infancy.

(Charles Carder is  
a relative Office  
1st Hunt. Nat Bldg.  
Res. 619 - Trenton  
Place.

3<sup>4</sup> Effie<sup>Gallaher</sup>. never married  
now dead. at about  
60.

4<sup>4</sup> Leslie m. 1. Anna Griffith  
m. 2. Dorothy A. Paul  
m. 3. A son Paul <sup>equivalent of 13th</sup> <sup>Gallagher</sup>  
in First Nat Bank  
12 - Main Street

15

2<sup>2</sup> Napoleon B. Johnson m. Sarah Everett Lunda  
 1<sup>3</sup> Mary Rebecca m. Silas Eugene Sanders  
 2<sup>3</sup> Ella All live at  
 3<sup>3</sup> Frank E. 456  
 4<sup>3</sup> Harry Washington Ave  
 5<sup>3</sup> Owen  
 6<sup>3</sup> Sidney  
 & others

~~3<sup>2</sup> Ann Johnston - See above~~

Samuel W. Woodrow  
 Johnston  
 m. 2. Eliza <sup>Jane? (J.)</sup> Kilgore who  
 lived with Sampson  
 Sanders

1<sup>3</sup> Fanny C. Johnson b. Jan. 26, 1844 d. Feb. 1926  
 m. John Condit Pollard  
 named for Rev  
 Condit of Ashland  
 Ashland was  
 first known as  
 Pollard Mill, Ky  
 son of Henry Brown  
 Pollard and  
 Sophia Pollard

d. on Friday  
 before 30th, 1926  
 at 81. She died  
 Jan. 29, 1926  
 Bros. surviving her  
 B. F. Johnston  
 Albert "  
 Daniel "  
 Abner "

16  
of Pollard back of Ashland  
She was a Kindaid or  
a Pogue.

Their children: 7

1<sup>4</sup> Geo. Edwin Pollard. b.  
July 23, 1866, d.

2<sup>4</sup> Ida Condit Pollard  
b. Dec. 27, 1868  
m. Gaylord Stewart

1<sup>5</sup> Helena Janet  
Stewart. Single

3<sup>4</sup> Lonella Pollard  
b. April 4, 1872  
m. <sup>Godrich</sup> G. W. Marrow,  
of Henderson, N.C.  
He died. She  
lives in Hunt-  
ington

1<sup>5</sup> Virginia B.

2<sup>5</sup> Sallie, at  
home

4<sup>4</sup> Eliza Eugenia Pollard  
b. Nov. 17, 1874  
m. Charles B. Killance

5<sup>4</sup> Samuel Johnston Pollard  
m. Allene Stevens,  
of Va. Live in

Chief Dispalcher at  
C. & O. Depot.

6<sup>4</sup> Eliza Kyle Pollard

b. Aug. 20, 1880

Single. Died at  
about 18.

7<sup>5</sup> Fanny Belle Pollard

b. Sept. 7, 1883.

now Mrs. F. O. Marple  
(Dr.)

2<sup>3</sup> Martha m. John Kirkcald  
(Sis) of Ashland Ky. One son,  
14 Dr. Kyle Kirkcald,  
Birmingham, Ala.  
Lived below Ashland.

3<sup>3</sup> Abner Johnston

m. Malinda Kennett.

No children. Lived

on Cor. of Johnston's  
Lane (3rd St. West)

(Samuel W. Johnston  
owned farm from  
River to the hills -  
from 1st to 5th St)

(Sam. W. Johnston home  
is on Cor. 7th Ave. & 3rd  
St. ... - same -)

<sup>Moore</sup>  
 4<sup>3</sup> Albert Johnston Mary Jane  
 m. Jennette Kennett,  
 related to above  
 Large family. A dau.  
 Miss Maud Johnston  
 lives on 7th Ave W  
 No. 28 - 7th Ave W.  
 near First St. A sister  
 Marie lives with her. A bro  
 Charley lives near her.

5-3 Benjamin Johnston  
 m. Pattie Taylor of  
 Henderson N.C. ?  
 Ask Maud Johnston  
 14 Kenneth Head  
 14 Macklin Johnston  
 m.

24 Donald Johnston.  
 Ask Maud.  
 Lives in Huntington

34 John Johnston  
 Patricia Johnston lives  
 in old farm home of  
 Sam W. Johnson across  
 Street from 7th Ave. Bak  
 Tist Church. Lives at  
 Cor. 3rd St. & 7th  
 Ave. Corner vacant.

6<sup>3</sup> Emily Johnston

Sept. 13, 1882  
Jas. W. Shea

m. Geo. C. Woods of Va.  
Tel. operator for C. & O.

14 See Maud.

See Lelia Mc Ghee  
1651 Dalton Ave

24 " "

14 Tom Woods. A C. & O.  
man. yard clerk.  
Left here. Lives here

24 Lelia m. Mc Ghee  
Lives in Huntington  
1651 Dalton Ave.

7<sup>3</sup> Samuel W. Johnston Jr

m. Ida Sikes, sister  
to Austin Sikes  
Both dead. No  
children. Lived in  
Huntington. He  
was a C. & O. shop  
machinist for years

8<sup>3</sup> Daniel W. Johnston  
b. Dec. 23, 1860 Feb. 26, 1938  
Died single at about 77.

Teacher &

farmer

See Mrs. Mc Ghee

See Maud. Graduate  
of Marshall College in 1870's  
(Paper dated Feb. 27, 1938)

9<sup>3</sup> Belle Johnson - b. 1868.  
Died young at about  
15.

10. Robert Johnson

m. Edna McCormack:

daugh. of

sister to James

McCormack (a  
everyman)

(See Maud)

No children.

(James McCormack's  
wife, Ethel Wright  
McCormack, lives  
with her daugh. Sally  
Jerama Lawson on  
12th Ave)

11. Thos. K. <sup>Johnson</sup> Johnston

m. Rose Gaffey, <sup>Lived</sup>

Cincinnati, O. or  
Covington, Ky. Both dead

One son - Frederick

Johnston - Living

somewhere above  
Cincinnati O., on  
a farm. Now in  
Cincinnati

See Mrs  
McShee

12 & 13 - Twins - d in  
infancy.

21

Austin Sikes d. April 22, 1944.

The Holswade store stood  
about where Grants is on  
3rd Ave. I have a picture  
of W.H.H. Holswade & wife.



Johnson marriages

Edith Johnson m. John Mc Comas,  
— — 1822 Jos. Barrett.

Abigail Johnson m. Sherd Adkins,  
July 25, 1832, (Mrs. Perry  
says she was sister to  
Andrew Sr.)

Andrew Johnson m. Alcy Ruther  
ford 1835 Gordon Ly can.

Franklin Johnson m. Ida  
Holley, July 3, 1834  
Adam Miller.

Squire Johnson m. Dempsey  
Adkins, Feb. 21, 1838  
Joe Stanley.

Perry Johnson m. Sirena Adkins,  
June 2, 1833.  
Stephen S.

Polly Johnson m. Randolph  
Adkins, Sept. 19, 1833.  
Stephen S.

Merritt Johnson m. Rhoda Adkins,  
Oct. 6, 1834 Burwell S.

Lewis Johnson m. Nancy Spears  
July 20, 1835  
Stephen S.

Wesley Johnson m. Senia  
Johnson Jan. 23, 1845  
Richard L. Brooks

Sylvester Johnson  
m. Eliza Johnson  
Sept. 5, 1844 Wm. Adkins

Rebecca Johnson  
m. David Keenan,  
May 22, 1857.  
Beng. L. Perry.

Mary Johnson m. Randolph  
Epling, Jan 4, 1853  
Wm. Adkins,  
Baptist.

Sarah Johnson m. Sam Porter,  
Sept. 17, 1848  
Wm. Adkins

James Johnson m. Brussels Adkins,  
Oct. 29, 1848  
Wm. McComas.

Maxwell M. Johnson m. Polly  
Adkins May 18, 1855. He  
19. She 21. Both single  
He son of Merritt &  
Rhoda Johnson. She  
dan. Price and Eliza  
Adkins.  
Wm. Adkins

<sup>Johnson</sup>  
Polly Adkins m. Spencer  
Reliford, March 2, 1854  
He 25 & widowed. She 20  
and single. He son of  
Wm. & Nancy Reliford.  
She dan. John &  
Elizabeth Johnson  
Wm. Adkins

~~Burwell Johnson m. Mary~~  
~~Sims, Dec. 4, 1853. He~~  
~~36~~

Harvey Johnson m. Mary  
Siles, Dec. 4, 1853 (2-1)  
He 36, She 26  
Wm. Adkins

Burwell Johnson m. Sally Siles,  
March 31, 1854. He 58 &  
widowed. She 35. & single.  
He b. Patrick Co. Va.  
son of ~~Cal~~ Bing. & Sally  
Johnson. She dau.  
Christopher & Sally Siles.

Andrew Johnson m. Elizabeth  
Williams April 28, 1856.  
Each 21 & single. He  
b. Cabell County, son of  
Perry & Rena Johnson.  
She dau B. Ray and  
—— Showans.

B. L. Perry.

Sampson Johnson m. Adelaide  
Trowbridge Feb. 19, 1863.  
He 21. She 18. Both single  
He b. Cabell, son of Lewis  
& Nancy Johnson. She dau.  
of R. L. Perry.

She b. Gallia Co. O.

William Johnson (Bro. To Andrew Sr)  
m. Sarah Williams

Aug 27, 1840

(Her sister <sup>"Mellie"</sup> m. Jessie Paine,  
no children)

William Johnson m. Susanna  
Parsons Feb. 25, 1841

Wm. Adkins

Rachel Johnson m. Geo. Hager  
Feb. 11, 1844, Wm. Adkins

Emmeretta Johnson m. Francis  
W. Messenger

April 14, 1843

Wm. Adkins

Sampson Johnson m. Emeline  
Russell, May 3, 1844

Wm. Adkins

Wesley Johnson m. Siria Johnson  
Jan 23, 1845

Richard L. Broo

Sylvester Johnson m. Eliza Johnson  
Sept. 5, 1844 1844

Wm. Adkins

d 1

Sarah Johnson m. <sup>Samuel</sup> Samuel Parler  
Sept. 17, 1848  
Wm. Adkins

James Johnson m. Drusilla Adkins  
Oct. 29, 1848

Lewis Johnson m. Jane Person,  
May 3, 1851  
Wm. Mc Comas  
Beng L. Perry

Rebecca Johnson m. David Keenan,  
May 22, 1851  
Beng. L. Perry

Mary Johnson m. Randolph Eplin  
July 4, 1853.  
Wm. Adkins

Squire A. Johnson (Bro. to Andy)  
m. Rhoda A. Webb

Jan. 8, 1859. He 24. She  
21. Both single & b.  
Cabell Co. He son of  
Franklin & M. E. Johnson  
She dau. James &  
Louisa Webb Carpenter

(Bro. to Elisha) Wm. Mc Comas

Sarah F. Johnson m. Crawford  
Vest, Nov. 9, 1865. He 23.  
She 21. He widowed. Born  
Franklin Co. Va. Son of  
Wesley & Sarah Vest. She  
single & C. Cabell Co., dau.  
of Franklin & Ida Johnson  
(Mrs. J. W. ~~Levy~~ Perry says her  
sister married Mr. Neck  
of Millon, and that  
they were first cousins  
to Andrew J. Sr.)

Wilson Johnson m. Martha C.  
S. Berkeley, May 25, 1865.  
He 21, She 20. He C.  
Cabell, she Botetourt  
Co. Va. He son of Sylvester  
and Eliza Johnson  
She dau. of Charles G.  
and Elvira Berkeley.

William W. Johnson m. Eliza V.  
Shellon Dec. 18, 1866, at  
Barboursville, He 23. She  
24. He single. She wid-  
owed. He son of Harvey  
and Mary <sup>American</sup> Johnson. She  
dau. Wm. & Deborah Merrill  
Lawyer. Roland Bias.

Not closely  
related to Bear  
Cr. Johnsons.  
Bro. to Ben's  
wife (of Franklin)

29  
America ("Milly") Johnson

m. James F. Brown Jan 11,  
1867. He 26. She 25.

Both single & b. in  
Cabell Co. He son of  
Geo. & Allegheny Brown.

She dau. of Perry and  
Rena Johnson, Farmer  
Roland Bias.

Columbus Johnson m. Adaline

Bro. to Bias (Sister to Morris)  
Ben's wife  
(of Franklin J.) Jan. 10, 1867. He 21. She  
18. Both single & of  
Cabell Co. He son of  
Libury & Minerva Johnson

Rebecca A. Johnson m. John

m. Bias, March 20,  
1867. Each 21 & single

He son of Roland &  
Martha Bias. She

dau. of Harvey &  
America Johnson Bias.  
Farmer. Roland Johnson



Zerilda Johnson m. Enoch Adkins  
Feb. 5, 1867, He 23. She 22  
Both single. He b. Wayne  
Co. The Cabell. He son of  
John & Elizabeth Adkins.

She dau. Merritt & Rhoda  
Johnson, Farmer. Wm Adkins

Louary Johnson m. Evermont  
Brunfield, Feb. 13, 1867  
He 25, she 21. Both  
single. He b. Logan Co.  
son of John & Rachel  
Brunfield. She dau.  
Perry and Surena  
Johnson. Roland Bias

Eliza Johnson m. Chas. G.  
Berkeley 1870  
(Sister to Andrew)  
He father of Martha  
Berkeley. Her first  
husband was a Johnson  
She had one son  
Wilson who m. Martha  
Berkeley, and were  
parents of Lucian  
Johnson

Squire Johnson m. Deltha  
Winters,  
1871 12-24

M. E. Johnson m. G. Hagley  
1872 (2-27)

Marion Johnson m. Spicy Adkins  
1870 (2-22)